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RAILWAYS INSIST MAIL PAY IS LOW

Claim Increase Should Take Account of Four Years' Arrearage.

Ralph Peters, chairman of the committee on railway mail pay, which claims to represent 264 rallroads operating 218,000 miles of line, takes exeption to the optimistic statement iven out by Postmaster General Bureson concerning the liberal treatment eccorded the roads for carrying the

"There has been no increase in the rates of pay or any concession to the railroads," is declared in a statement Business men will find classes to has been a decrease in the rate for hauling each ton a mile."

First-class equipment. All work done under expert supervision.

Every man needs regular physical exercise in order to reach his maximum efficiency. No better place in the city to get it than the Association Gym.

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Dues only \$15 a year. Investigate today. Present this ad to Membertory, is to be increased only 25 per cent, or from \$16,000,000 per year to \$20,000,000 per year.

No Settlement of Arrears.

"This readjustment of pay applies only to the future and includes no settlement of arrearage for having carried this increased mail tonnage during the four years just passed. If the growth of the traffic has been steady, \$1.000,000 per year out of the \$4,000,000 additional now found to be due annually should have been added in 1912, \$2,000,000 per year in 1913, and \$3,000,000 per year in 1914. Here, then, is a sum of \$6,000,000 earned by these railroads, but withheld from them because the Post Office Department weighs the mails only once in four years.

"Does it not seem that Congress, in fairness, should order the mails weighed and the pay of the railroads readjusted at least once every year? Since the mails were last weighed in the middle west, the parcel post has been established and has grown to its present volume. growth of the traffic has been steady

present volume.
"I think it would be a good thing for the government, and for the whole people, if the coming Congress would enact legislation to do justice to the railroads in the matter of railway mail pay. If the rates were once made fairly remuerative the Post Office Department might then stimulate competition between the various roads as to tition between the various roads as to the speed of trains and frequency of service, with great advantage to the business community."

Attitude of P. O. Officials.

At the Post Office Department toda; there was an indisposition on the part of the officials to talk for publication upon the subject. It was pointed out, however, that the department statement was not an argument, but a news statement which tended to show the

certain lines accept the service at approximately 10 per cent less than the maximum allowed by law.

No one cared to be quoted and The Star reporter was cautioned not to use

AN INTERNATIONAL TOAST FOR PANAMA EXPOSITION

President Wilson to Announce Sentiment Which Will Be "Proposed" December 4, at Noon.

SAN FRANCISCO, November 20 .- An "international sentiment," a toast com-posed by President Wilson to the Panama-Pacific exposition, will made public throughout the world tomorrow, three days before closing day, according to announcement today by Charles C. Moore, president of the ex

position. The sentiment will be proposed as a toast at noon, December 4, in the court of the universe at the exposition, as ne of the central features of the closng exercises.

Ing exercises.

With the view to making the event as international in character as is the exposition itself. President Moore's announcement states:

"All nations, states, organizations, institutions and individuals participating or interested in the exposition are asked to join in the sentiment at noon, December 4, San Francisco time, so that practically all nations may participate with the exposition in a toast for world unity and for a higher type of internationalism.

Attendance at the exposition today

Attendance at the exposition today passed the 18,000,000 mark, the goal set early in the exposition period by the officials.

RUSSIA STRIVES TO GET SAVINGS OF PEASANTS

LONDON, November 30 .- Curious crowds standing in the snow-covered streets of Petrograd reading placards announcing a new one-hundred-milterest are described by the Mail's cor-respondent in the Russlan capital. This

respondent in the Russian capital. This is the first time an appeal has been made to the masses of the people to subscribe for such an issue, as previous loans have been taken by banks and the wealthier classes.

The campaign of poster advertising was planned with skill and enterprise to attract the attention of the large portion of the population who do not read newspapers. Exclamations of bystanders when the posters were read aloud gave promise, treasury officials believe, of success for the effort to draw out the secret savings of the peasants.

CITES GERMAN POSITION ON ARMENIAN QUESTION

BERLIN, November 30, by wireless to Sayville, N. Y .- Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, replying to a petition sent to him by prominent Protestant clergymen and theologians, asking the impe-

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FIND CHRISTMAS MONEY PLENTIFUL THIS YEAR

Than at Any Holiday Since 1906.

NEW YORK, November 30 .- Merchants here say that Americans have more the Christmas of 1906. The big stores are preparing for a record trade during December and wholesale houses are unable to fill orders in many lines. This is attributed to a rush of buyers from other cities to replenish depleted stocks. L. S. Pelz, secretary of the Wholesale and Retail Merchants' Association, said today that the merchants of New York

have never known better times. Business Increased by War.

"People who did not have money to spend a year ago have it now and have opened their purses," said Mr. Pelz.
"The business which has come to America because of the war has put dollars in the pocket of the average man, but I do not believe this prosperity is dependent upon the war. If the war ended next month there would still be prosperity

"The wholesale houses of New York have all the business they can attend to. Orders are pouring in from the west, where merchants have been buying very little in the last year and even up to a few months ago, fearing to trust in the permanency of the new prosperity. The banks are begging business men to draw money. The country has money—that is the sole explanation of the prosperity."

PAUL FULLER, ATTORNEY, DIES AT HOME IN NEW YORK

Was President Wilson's Agent in Conference With Gen. Carranza on Mexican Situation.

NEW YORK, November 30.-Paul Fuller, the New York attorney who visited Mexico in September of last year as President Wilson's agent and conferred with Gen. Carranza on the Mexican situation, died suddenly at his home here late last night. He was

sixty-seven years old.

Mr. Fuller spent several months in Mexico as personal representative of President Wilson. He conferred not only with Gen. Carranza, but with the leaders of the other factions there, and made a report on conditions to the President.

President. At one time Mr. Fuller was mentioned in official circles in Washington as President Wilson's probable choice for ambassador to Mexico, when a government there was recognized. FARMERS OF SCHLESWIG

UNDER EYES OF SOLDIERS COPENHAGEN, via London, November 30 .- A proclamation has been is-

Invitation

to the People of Washington.

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Southern Building, (Second Floor)

15th and H Streets, N. W.,

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Wednesday, December First, and

Thursday, December Second.

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UNLIKELY TO BE PASSED

Merchants Say There Is More Cash Action Governing Issuance of Securities May Be Referred to Joint Commission.

Legislation affecting the railroads and the interstate commerce commismoney to spend for Christmas shopping ston, in the opinion of administration this year than in any holiday season since leaders in close touch with the subject, probably will not be pressed at this session of Congress.

for another year.

Regarding the railroad securities bill a difference of opinion has arisen in the minds of democratic members as to the extent of authority that should be given the commission over railroad stocks and bonds. Some think that compulsory publicity of railroad issuances would be sufficient, while others believe the commission should have direct regulation of the securities.

ion, together with the unusual conditions brought about in regard to transportation requirements during the war there is a movement among leading democrats in Congress to turn the whole question of railroad securities and the enlargement of the interstate commerce commission over to a joint congressional committee for thorough investigation and constitutions.

congressional committee for thorough investigation and report.

With regard to re-organization of the commission suggestions have been made that the membership be increased from seven to nine, and that the commission be divided into departments. Senator Newlands, chairman of the interstate commerce committee, said to-day that this subject together with the

"NATIONAL REPUBLICAN

Aim Will Be to Equalize Delegate Representation in the National Convention.

Petticoats

There was pending in the Sanate committee on interstate commerce at the close of the last Congress, the bill. considered at length during the session, to give the commission jurisdiction over the issuance of railroad securities. There also is a movement, which has attained considerable im-petus, to enlarge the membership of the commission. Both subjects undoubtedly will be given attention early in the coming session, but it is doubt ful if either will be pressed for action

Seek Joint Commission.

As a result of this difference of opin-

Senator Newlands, chairman of the in-terstate commerce committee, said to-day that this subject, together with the railroad securities bill, probably would be taken up for consideration, but, in his opinion, such matters would be submitted to a thorough study by a joint committee.

UNION" TO BE ORGANIZED

CHICAGO, November 30 .- Republicans from several states met here today for the purpose of formally organizing the "National Republican Union." purpose of the organization, according to Chairman Horace C. Stilwell of Anderson, Ind., is to obtain equalized dele gate representation in the republican

statement which tended to show the growth of the mails and the importance of the states in the third section comprising the middle west to the business and social life of the nation. It did not claim to show an increase in rate of compensation, but simply that in the ten-year period immediately preceding the weighing and readjustment in the hird section the increase in compensation for carrying the mail was \$4,300, 000 or more and that this increase began the first of last July.

It was learned also that in the matter of competition for the business of transporting the mails, which the railroads are now said to claim is done at a loss, there are instances in which certain lines accept the service at approximately 19 per cent less than the maximum allowed by law.

No one cared to be quoted and The

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Petticoats of fine quality taffeta silk, in black and plain colors; also changeable effects. Several beauti-ful styles from which you may select.

At \$1.00 Petticoats of sateen, moires, jersey tops with sateen ruffles and heath-erbloom taffeta. These are in black only. Sateen and moires in black and colors; many styles; all lengths.

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Make This Store Your Headquarters at All Times.

A Sensible Gift Tea Aprons

Tea Aprons made of fine lawns; dotted Swisses and organdles; all prettily trimmed with dainty laces and embroidery edges; many styles.

Tea Aprons .50c

Tea Aprons of organdic, cross-bar muslins, fine lawns and dotted Swisses; many styles with lace embroidery and ribbon trimmings.

Waitress' and Maids Aprons at 25c & 50c Made with deep hems and tucks with band; others with straps and bibs; some with hemstitching, tucks and embroidery. An endless variety from which to choose. Apron Dept .- Third Floor.

The Great Mill Purchase of Silks and Dress Goods

The sale continues with unabated enthusiasm. Thousands and thousands of yards of absolutely First Quality Merchandise at Unbelievable Low Prices. The quantity was so great and the styles so varied that a full and complete assortment is here for tomorrow's shoppers.

\$1.50 36-Inch All-Silk Chiffon Taffeta.....

Without a question of doubt this is the most extraordinary silk value we have ever offered. They are positively all pure silk, heavy soft quality and every yard absolutely perfect in weave and finish. Every wanted color for street, afternoon and evening wear. Supply your needs for months to come.

All Silk Crepe de Chine. \$1.50 Quality. 40 Inches Wide.....

The heavy quality with a full crepey weave. All pure silk and perfectly woven and finished in all colors for street and evening wear. A gift of a dress or waist will be most acceptable.

\$1.00 Wide Silks

Choice of Black or White Chiffon Taffeta or Messalines; full 36 inches wide; all pure silk and good heavy, soft quality; an opportunity you should hasten to profit by.

\$1.50 55-Inch All-Wool Navy Blue Serge99c

Here's an item that knows no competition You will immediately stamp it an extraordinary bargain. These fine fabrics are pure dye, all wool, full 55 inches wide; non-crushable; one shade only, a rich shade of dark navy blue. Note the wide width, then figure for how little you can buy a skirt, dress or suit length. You will find that this serge makes up into nice tailored suits. Our staple \$1.50 grade for one day only, yard, \$9c.

\$2.00 Imported Chiffon 52 to 56 Inch Imported Chiffon Broadcloth, with a very handsome,

rich, satin finish; guaranteed spotproof; sponged and shrunk ready for the needle; in all colors and black. This is our regular \$2.00 quality. Tomorrow, per yard, \$1.48.

Coating. \$2.69 54-inch Astrakhan, with a small, tight curl; the grade that is known for its wearing qualities; an ideal fabric for a warm coat or trimming. Instead of \$4.00, to go at our very special price tomorrow, per yard, \$2.69. Silk and Dress Goods Dept.—8th St. Annex—Lansburgh & Bro.

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nicely boxed. At Vachette Strap Purses, made with German silver clasp; very nobby; regular \$1.50 some are mirror; all of styles a of styles a values. At.....

Leather Goods—Main Floor—Lansburgh & Bro.

A Practical Gift-

Traveling Sets, consisting of three pieces—comb, hairbrush and toothbrush—in a leather case; lined with moire and fliely boxed; regular \$1.45 \$1.98 value. At.....

Back and Top Strap Purses; some are fitted with purse and mirror; a large assortment of styles and colors; regular \$1.25 value. At....

allow us to quote the following for tomorrow's sale: Finest Glace Lamb Gloves, in black, white, tan, \$1.00 brown and gray; over-

Real Kid Gloves, with P. K. seams, in plain black, or white and black, with 3 rows of em- \$1.50-

seam sewn.....

and black with white embroidery; overseam \$1.50 Real Kid Gloves, in black or white; also washable real kid, in white only; overseam sewn. A very attractive value at..... \$1.75

Finest Real Kid Gloves, in black, white, champagne, gray and sand; also white with black embroidery and black with white £1 50



Ostrich Boas, \$1.39 These are of fine quality ostrich and nicely made. Finished at end with silk tassels. Choice of all white, tan and white or black and white. \$3.00 Values at \

Beautiful Vestees, Values to \$2.00, at 98c Made of very fine nets, in high or low neck effects. Many are hand embroidered. Also a large variety of all the very newest styles in lace-trimmed effects.

Marabou Muffs, \$4.98 Values to \$8.98, \$4.98

Choice of barrel or melon shapes in black or brown. Made of finest quality marabou, beautifully lined with satin. These are extraordinary values.

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1,000 Women's Coat Suits

From Which You May Choose At \$16 The Kind Advertised and Sold Elsewhere at \$25.00 to \$35.00 All materials, all styles, all colors, all sizes. Many fur-trimmed models are included. We will alter them free of charge. A service alone that

oftentimes costs from \$3.00 to \$5.00. "Sell Bee" At \$22 and \$26

All new materials, all new models, all colors, all sizes. Extra Special-Children's Gingham Values Up

best materials, in the newest models and color combinations; sizes, 6 to 14 years.

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Solid Gold Tie Clasps, in an endless variety, at............ \$1.00

Solid Gold Neck Chains, with fine links. \$1.50 Choice at..... Solid Gold Cuff Links. Hand engraved. Many styles at...... Solid Gold Signet Rings for boys. Special at...... \$1.98 10-kt. Gold Friend-ship Circle Pins, in a \$1.00

large variety ... Free Engraving on Any Article at 98c or Over.

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vory handles; 25c value. solid ivory; \$1.00 val- 75c Buttonhooks, with solid ivory handles; 25c value 19c Solid Ivory Hair Re-Ivory Pincushions, with 25c velvet tops; 39c value... Solid Ivory Combs, both coarse and fine;

Solid Ivory Whiskbroom Holders; laced with colored ribbons. Regular 69c values, 50c at Solid Ivory Photograph 50c Frames; 69c value..... 50C
Nail Polishers, reversible chamois and ivory handles; 50c

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Nail Files, with solid

Solid Ivory Puff Box; 75C regular 98c value..... Solid Ivory Clocks; all

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Sterling Silver Napkin Rings in a large variety; choice of plain or engraved styles. Children's Sterling Silver Manicure Sets, consisting of \$1.00 ally priced at......

Rings, \$1.00

Children's Sterling \$1.00 Silver Knife and Fork Sets. Special at.....



Christmas Handkerchiefs

Ladies' All-linen Handkerchiefs; hemstitched, embroidered corner; \$1.00 a dozen, or each. 10c Men's Silk Handkerchiefs, hemmed; colored borders; \$ for 35c \$1.00, or each. 1 adies' All-linen or Shamrock Lawn Hand-embroidered Handkerchiefs; embroidered in white or colors; \$ for 50c, or 18c each.

Ladies' or Men's All-linen Hand-kerchiefs; hemstitched with embroidered initial in corner; 121/2c Ladies' or Men's All-linen Hand-kerchiefs; hemstitched, with embroidered initial in corner; 18c 6 in box for \$1.00, or each...

Ladies' or Men's All-linen Hand-kerchiefs; hemstitched, with embroidered initial in corner; 25c Men's Japonette Handkerchiefs; hemstitched, with embroidered initial in corner; 25c Men's Japonette Handkerchiefs; hemstitched, with embroidered initial in corner; 6 in a box, 10c Ladies' All-silk Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs; double or single hemstitched; embroidered corner or colored border with ½ to 25c \$ inch hem. Very special at.

For Her-For Him Ladies' or Men's Umbrellas of

Ladies' or Men's Umbrellas of rainproof American taffeta, including silk case; carved or \$1.10 dles, at...

Ladies' or Men's Umbrellas of rainproof American taffeta; plain, carved or \$1.00 trimmed handles, at...

Children's Umbrellas of rainproof American taffeta; han-dles suitable for boys or girls, At 75c and \$1.00

2-inch silk tape edge; plain or carved mission handles. Very special, \$2.50

Silk Gloria Umbrel- \$1.29 Ladies' Union Silk Umbrellas, with

Men's Union Silk Umbrellas, with heavy sterling trimmed handles, at Ladies' All-silk Colored Umbrellas; ribs have sterling tips; carved mission handles, at Main Floor.

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